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GF Piping Systems instructional courses to help you teach your customers and their installers essential knowledge for the welding of pipes and piping components, as well as an in-depth understanding of butt and electrofusion connections. With Specialized Education from GF Piping Systems, we help prevent damage before it occurs, with well-trained and qualified installers.

Sharing knowledge, exchanging experiences

With numbers of skilled workers in sharp decline around the world, more experienced installers moving into retirement and young prospects lacking incentive for the construction business, training is now crucial for successful projects. How to properly install, maintain or exchange piping systems is key to ensuring a plant or building can operate smoothly. The time pressure on construction sites means installers have to work quickly – in this situation every step needs to be well-rehearsed and workers have to know how to handle materials – whether they are made of traditional metals or more advanced plastic systems.

Inaccurate, hasty installation can have considerable implications, ranging from leaks, to bursts, to total system failure. As a result, manufacturers are forced to interrupt production, hospitals cannot provide sanitary systems to protect their patients and basic needs in domestic infrastructure are jeopardized. Ultimately, this means companies make financial losses, people's health is endangered and every-day life is destabilized.

We offer our customers a modern and application-oriented training environment that considers all the specific requirements regarding the content and the structure of the training. Always focusing on practice and experience with our systems and solutions, we do not only provide theoretical instructions and manuals, but focus instead on, instead focusing on what is necessary regarding the correct and safe handling of our products, systems and solutions. New to the world of plastics? Not to worry, our courses are designed specifically to help installers become experts in the application of plastic piping systems – to help to achieve the highest, most reliable quality and service on the market.



**2/3 of construction market
experienced skills shortages in
its workforce during 2019.***

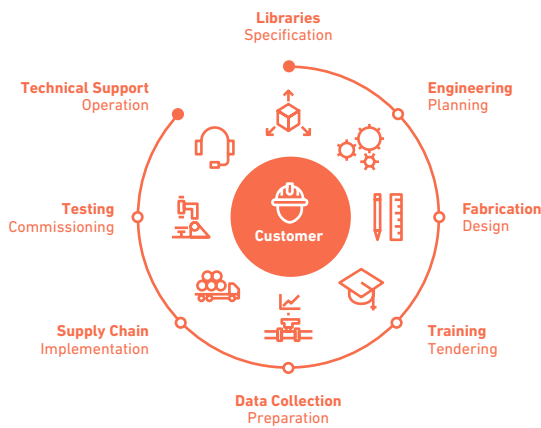
**Shortages led to wage increase
through competitive bidding,
resulting in higher costs.***



Training

Specialized education

Specialized Solutions



With Specialized Solutions, the global leader GF Piping Systems provides project support every step of the way to achieve optimal performance in construction.

The proper installation and maintenance of piping systems is of fundamental importance to successful operation. Mistakes can cause leakage, costly interruptions and damage to the environment. Specialized Training helps to minimise that risk factor, with training centers and experts around the world providing top-class courses and certification.

GF Piping Systems supports the conception and design process of a project from the outset to ensure that a sustainable and efficient solution is achieved. Whether in the selection of the right plastic solution from our extensive portfolio, the management of complex sub-projects, or quality control based on recognized international standards - you can benefit from Specialized Solutions for all application areas and references from a wide range of industries across the entire product range.

Benefits of GF Training

1

A cut above

Get the most out of your high-quality plastic piping systems for optimal installation and use of your premium quality product.

2

Quality certified

Trained individuals receive professional certificates from one of the GF Piping Systems training centers around the world.

3

Global methods

Learn how to plan, install and maintain piping systems according to a global methodology.

4

Happy customer, happy life

With more than 60 years of experience in plastics, we provide you with the tools to keep your customers happy as long as their pipes last.

5

Wide module range

Choose from a wide range of training module options to expand your expertise in existing and new fields.

Combining the best skills with the highest quality equipment will give contractors that competitive edge, putting them ahead of others when competing for tenders.



Practical training and theory

Comprehensive

Clearly designed and structured training courses ensure that participants with varying levels of experience receive the knowledge transfer required to maintain the highest installation standards and quality.



Learning where you need it

Flexible

Wherever you are, we come to you. We have training sites worldwide as well as online training. Our experts are at your side wherever you are and conduct practical training sessions in the various fusion and jointing methods on site. The training duration and program depends on the actual project and the system to be installed.



Global network of practical rooms

Worldwide

Practice makes perfect: Experience is one of the most decisive factors for the success of an application, and there is no substitution for it during the installation. Visit one of our practice rooms near you or get up to speed with an online course.



Certification

Verified

All participants that complete a training course receive accreditation as an official GF Piping Systems installer. We verify that the knowledge transferred in every course is the same worldwide and up to date with our latest products and innovations.

>30

training locations worldwide

2'172

training days in 2019

+19K

training participants during 2019

Next steps

This brochure has provided important information about the Specialized Solutions we offer. But nothing replaces a personal conversation with an expert from GF Piping Systems. It is all about your needs and how we can support you with your specific projects. If you have not already done so, make an appointment today.

On the GF Piping Systems website you will find specialized contact persons in your area. There you will also find further information on the individual solutions, including technical data sheets and operating instructions as well as relevant certificates and approvals.

Get your appointment with an expert from GF Piping Systems to tailor a solution to your needs.

More information at:

gfps.com/training

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* Turner & Townsend. (2019). International construction market survey 2019.

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